

CANDID MEN.

Declares They Use No Tact in Social Affairs.

"I am dreadfully brusque sometimes," said Belinda. "The other day my brother and I went to the house of a friend to a reception. It was a hot night and the house was crowded and there wasn't any room to do but to stand around and watch the people one could reach, and the people one really wanted to talk to could only be seen at a distance over a sea of intervening heads. In addition, the croquettes and the ice cream warm, so we finally got away both my brother and I said: 'Thank Heaven, we're out of here.'—Philadelphia Record.

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BREVITIES OF FUN.

"What do you think of destroying the mosquito with oil?" "Crude, isn't it?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Man—"Can't I get a short cut through this field?" The Boy—"Yes, if you don't get a long loss from the bull."—Indianapolis News.

Boroughs—"Hello, old man! I'm just back from my vacation." Phox—"Awfully sorry, but I can't do it. I'm borrowing money myself these days."—Philadelphia Record.

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BOND CALL.

Holders of St. Louis-Bar Township, Lafayette County, Missouri, (5) five per cent bonds are hereby notified that bonds numbered 10 and 11 issued July 23, 1900, by the County Court of Lafayette County, in and behalf of said township, of the denomination of \$10,000.00 one thousand dollars each have been declared due and payable on the first day of November, 1901, payable at the office of the County Treasurer of Lafayette County, Missouri, at Lexington, Missouri, on which day and date all interest thereon will cease.

By order of the County Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, this 24 day of September, 1901.
FRANK THORNTON,
Clerk of the County Court of Lafayette County, Missouri. 9-715

BOND CALL.

Holders of Lexington Township, Lafayette County, Missouri, (5) five per cent bonds are hereby notified that bonds numbered 20 and 21, issued July 23, 1900, by the County Court of Lafayette County, in and behalf of said township, of the denomination of \$10,000.00 one thousand dollars each have been declared due and payable on the first day of November, 1901, payable at the office of the County Treasurer of Lafayette County, Missouri, at Lexington, Missouri, on which day and date all interest thereon will cease.

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Notice to Bridge Contractors.

I will let to the lowest and best bidder, on MONDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1901.

A wooden bridge for construction, about 18 feet long, to be built across branch on the Lexington and Marshall road, in section 9, township 30, range 26, about 1/4 mile east of Winton.

Letting will take place at bridge site at 10 o'clock A. M.
Plans and specifications can be seen at time and place of letting.
Contractor is to give bond for maintenance of bridge as the law directs.
Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
B. D. WEEDIN, Commissioner. 9-141d

Notice to Bridge Contractors.

I will let to the lowest and best bidder, on SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1901.

A wooden bridge for construction, about 35 feet long, to be built across branch on public road, near Lyons place in section 10, township 30, range 26.

Letting will take place at bridge site at 10 o'clock A. M.
Plans and specifications can be seen at time and place of letting.
Contractor is to give bond for maintenance of bridge as the law directs.
Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
B. D. WEEDIN, Commissioner. 9-141d

Notice to Bridge Contractors.

I will let to the lowest and best bidder, on MONDAY, OCTOBER 24, A. D., 1901.

for construction, an A Truss Bridge, thirty feet span, to be built across Little Sul creek, in the northwest corner of section 20, township 49, range 27, and about one and a quarter miles south of Thos J. Powell's residence.

Letting will take place at bridge site at 10:30 o'clock A. M.
Plans and specifications can be seen at time and place of letting.
Contractor is to give bond for maintenance of bridge as the law directs.
Commissioner reserves the right to reject any or all bids.
B. D. WEEDIN, Commissioner. 9-25td

Notice to Bridge Contractors.

I will let to the lowest and best bidder, on FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25, A. D., 1901.

for construction, an A Truss Bridge, thirty feet span with two approaches, each sixteen feet long, to be built over South Davis creek near the Henry Couch place and on or near the line between sections 13 and 14, township 45, range 27.

Letting will take place at bridge site at 10:30 o'clock A. M.
Plans and specifications can be seen at time and place of letting.
Contractor is to give bond for maintenance of bridge as the law directs.
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Cures Rheumatism and Catarrh after all else fails.

To cure the most desperate rheumatism or catarrh take Botanic Balm (B. B. B.) the wonder of the age. Cures when all else fails. It kills the poison in the blood and gives a pure, healthy blood supply, stopping all gnawing, shooting aches and pains in the bones, joints, back, and reduces all swellings. Hawking, spitting, dropping in the throat, offensive breath and catarrh, irritations of the mucous membranes quickly disappear thus making a perfect, permanent cure of the worst rheumatism or deep-seated catarrh.

B. B. B. especially advised for old, obstinate cases. Druggists, \$1. Trial treatment free and prepaid by writing Dr. G. L. Gilman, 30, Mitchell St., Atlanta, Ga. Describe trouble and free medical advice given. 9-21mi

M. K. & T. REDUCED RATES IN INDIAN TERRITORY.

Ever since the construction of the M. K. & T. Ry. through the Indian Territory its local passenger rate between stations in the Indian Territory has been on the basis of five cents a mile. The customary rate of passenger fares on railroads, except in sparsely settled country, is three cents a mile. The population of the Indian Territory during the past few years has grown rapidly; there has been a large increase in passenger traffic on this account, and the Katy officials recognizing the wants of the people and the justice of so doing, have voluntarily agreed to reduce the local passenger rate to a basis of three cents a mile. This reduction will take place on or about November first. There will be great rejoicing among the residents along the line of the M. K. & T.

What Shall We Have for Desert?

This question arises in the family every day. Let us answer it today. Try Jell-O, a delicious desert. Prepared in two minutes. No baking! add hot water and set to cool. Flavors: Lemon, orange, raspberry and strawberry. At your grocers. 10 cents. 9-141d

Jell-O, the New Desert.

pleases all the family. Four flavors—lemon, orange, raspberry and strawberry. At your grocers. 10 cents. Try it today.

PILES Cured by Clinax Salve. Satisfaction or price refunded. Ailruggists.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

STATE OF MISSOURI, ss.
County of Lafayette, ss.
In the Circuit Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, December Term, 1901.
Belle Adams and James Adams, her husband, Belle straight and James H. Straight, her husband, Plaintiffs,
vs.
Coy Mc Cormack, Jessie McCormack, Katie McCormack and Norine McCormack, Defendants.

Now at this day comes the plaintiff herein by their attorneys and file their petition, and among other things, that defendants are not residents of the state of Missouri.

Whereupon, it is ordered by the clerk in vacation, that said defendants be notified by publication that plaintiffs have commenced a suit against them in this court, the object and general nature of which is to partition the following described real estate situated in Lafayette County, Missouri, to-wit: The south half of the northwest quarter of the north-west quarter, section eight (8), township forty-eight (48) and range twenty-eight (28), and that unless the said non-resident defendants be and appear at this court, at the next term of the court, to be begun and holden at the court house in the City of Lexington, in said county, on the 2nd day of December next, and on or before the first day of said term, if the term shall long continue, and if not, then on or before the last day of said term, answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered, that a copy hereof be published, according to law in the Weekly Intelligencer, a newspaper published in said County of Lafayette, for four weeks successively, published at least once a week, the last insertion to be at least thirty days before the first day of said next December term, 1901, of this court.

J. H. CAMPBELL, Circuit Clerk.
By J. W. SYDNOR, Deputy.
Alexander Graves and Charles Lyons, Attorneys for Plaintiffs. 9-25td

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

STATE OF MISSOURI, ss.
County of Lafayette, ss.
In the Circuit Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, December Term, 1901.
Fannie L. Saunders, Plaintiff,
vs.
Luther C. Saunders, Defendant.

Now at this day comes the plaintiff herein, by her attorneys and file their petition and affidavit, alleging, among other things, that defendant, Luther C. Saunders, is not a resident of the state of Missouri.

Whereupon, it is ordered by the clerk in vacation that said defendant be notified by publication that plaintiff has commenced a suit against him in this court, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony heretofore contracted on the grounds that said defendant, Luther C. Saunders, is an habitual drunkard and a vagrant within the meaning of the law respecting vagrants, and that unless said Luther C. Saunders be and appear at this court, at the next term of the court, to be begun and holden at the court house in the City of Lexington, in said county, on the 2nd day of December next, and on or before the last day of said term, if the term shall long continue, and if not, then on or before the last day of said term, answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered, that a copy hereof be published according to law in the Lexington Intelligencer, a newspaper published in said County of Lafayette, for four weeks successively, published at least once a week, the last insertion to be at least thirty days before the first day of said next December term of this court.

J. H. CAMPBELL, Circuit Clerk.
By J. W. SYDNOR, Deputy.
John S. Blackwell & Son, Attorneys for Plaintiff. 9-25td

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

In the Circuit Court of Lafayette County, Missouri, December Term, 1901.
Robert Semler, Plaintiff,
vs.
Luther B. Semler, Defendant.

Now at this day comes the plaintiff herein, by his attorneys and files his petition and affidavit, alleging, among other things, that defendant, Luther B. Semler, is not a resident of the state of Missouri; Whereupon, it is ordered by the clerk in vacation that said defendant be notified by publication that plaintiff has commenced a suit against him in this court, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a decree of divorce from the bonds of matrimony heretofore contracted between plaintiff and defendant on the grounds of adultery and other indicia as to render his condition intolerable, and that unless the said non-resident defendant, Luther B. Semler, be and appear at this court, at the next term thereof, to be begun and holden at the court house, in the City of Lexington, in said county, on the 2nd day of December next, and on or before the first day of said term, answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

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A true copy. Attest—
J. H. CAMPBELL, Circuit Clerk.
By J. W. SYDNOR, Deputy.
Clarence Vinton, Attorney for Plaintiff. 9-715

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

Whereas, Lafayette County Bank, a corporation, by its deed of trust, dated June 28, 1900, and recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds for Lafayette County, Missouri, in book 146, at page 440, conveyed to Joseph A. Wilson, as trustee, the following described real estate, situated in Lafayette County, Missouri, to-wit: The east two-fifths of the lot 6, in block 34, in the first addition to the town, now city, of Lexington; that is to say, twenty feet of the east side of lot 6, in block 34, in the first addition to the town, now city, of Lexington, in trust to secure the payment of a certain promissory note in the said deed of trust described; and whereas, default has been made in the payment of said note and the interest thereon, now due is hereby given that I, Joseph A. Wilson, trustee, at the request of the legal holder and owner of said note, will sell for cash, to the highest bidder, on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1901,
between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon, at that day, in front of the main door of the court house, in the City of Lexington, Lafayette County, Missouri, the said real estate for the purpose of satisfying such note and interest accrued thereon, and the costs and expenses of executing this trust.

9-215 JOSEPH A. WILSON, Trustee.

EXECUTOR'S SALE.

By virtue of the authority vested in me by the last will and testament of Sarah H. Long deceased, duly probated in probate court of Lafayette County, Missouri, and recorded in book 1, at page 274, I, the undersigned executor, will on

MONDAY, OCTOBER 21, A. D., 1901,
between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon, sell all the right, title and interest of said deceased in and to the following described real estate situated in the County of Lafayette and State of Missouri, viz: All of lot five (5), and fifteen (15) feet off the west side of lot six (6), in block number one hundred and one, in the first addition to the City of Lexington, Missouri, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash in hand, at the front door of the court house in the City of Lexington, Missouri, and during the session of the county court within and for said county.

SAMUEL J. HUSTON, Executor.
Note—Persons desiring to bid on above property have privilege of looking through dwelling house, and will be shown through by Mrs. Carter. 9-141d

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Sarah H. Long, deceased, were granted to me, undersigned, on the 15th day of August, 1901, by the probate court of Lafayette County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the executor within one year after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of said letters they will be forever barred.

This 15th day of August, 1901.
SAMUEL J. HUSTON, Executor.

THE CONTINENTAL LIMITED,
NEW FAST TRAIN EAST
VIA THE WABASH
MAGNIFICENT THROUGH TRAIN DINING CAR.

PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

By virtue of an order of the probate court of Lafayette County, Missouri, made on the 6th day of August, 1901, the undersigned public administrator for said county has taken charge of the estate of Mary Ford, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them to me for allowance within one year after the date of said order or they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within two years from the date of said order they will be forever barred.

M. D. WILSON,
Public Administrator.

TIME TABLES

Missouri Pacific-Lexington Br.

	No. 71.	No. 72.
Leave St. Louis.....	7:35 am	9:15 pm
Arrive Sedalia.....	9:35 am	5:00 am
Concordia.....	1:07 pm	8:08 am
Aulville.....	1:25 pm	8:24 am
Higginsville.....	1:37 pm	8:35 am
Page City.....	1:47 pm	8:44 am
Lexington	2:11 pm	8:48 am
Myra.....	3:10 pm	9:13 am
Wellington.....	3:34 pm	9:25 am
Waterloo.....	5:40 pm	7:33 am
Napoleon.....	5:47 pm	7:40 am
Independence.....	6:45 pm	8:35 am
Kansas City.....	7:15 pm	9:05 am
St. Joseph.....		1:05 pm